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In Re the Application of:

ALAIN T. RAPPAPORT

Application No.: 09/754,547

Filed: January 3, 2001

For: **METHOD, APPARATUS AND SYSTEM FOR
PROVIDING TARGETED INFORMATION IN
RELATION TO LABORATORY AND OTHER
MEDICAL SERVICES**

Art Group: 2171

Examiner: Unknown

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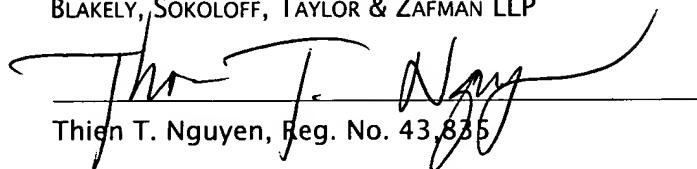
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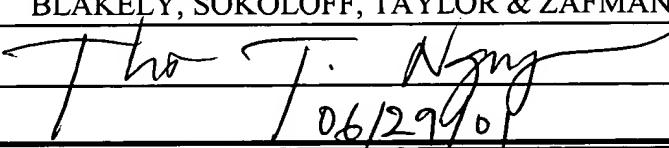
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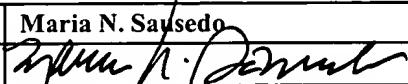
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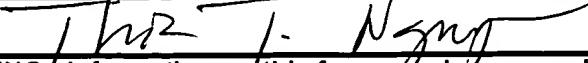
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